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FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY TAYLOR FROM AMBASSADOR

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TAGS: OTRA (TAYLOR, ASSISTANT SECRETARY DAVID P.)

SUBJ: VISIT TO TURKEY BY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE

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1. I LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR VISIT TO TURKEY, AND WOULD LIKE TO HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR DETAILED PERSONAL DISCUSSIONS WITH YOU SINCE MANPOWER AND MORALE FACTORS WEIGH HEAVILY ON MY MIND AS MANY AIR FORCE PERSONNEL STATIONED IN TURKEY ARE NOW IN THEIR EIGHTH MONTH OF ENFORCED IDLENESS DUE TO SUSPENSION OF ACTIVITIES BY THE GOT AT SOME OF OUR MAJOR INSTALLATIONS. UNFORTUNATELY, I PLAN TO BE IN WASHINGTON THE WEEK OF MARCH 22-27 IN CONNECTION WITH THE UPCOMING VISIT OF FOREIGN MINISTER CAGLAYANGIL, AND THE FOLLOWING WEEK, MARCH 29-APRIL 2, I WILL BE IN GARMISCH PARTICIPATING IN MU76 EXERCISE (I UNDERSTAND AMBASSADOR KUBISCH FROM ATHENS ALSO PLANS PARTICIPATE IN THIS EXERCISE.)

2. WOULD IT BE AT ALL POSSIBLE FOR YOU TO POSTPONE YOUR TRIP TO TURKEY BY EXACTLY ONE WEEK OR, ALTERNATIVELY, MOVE IT FORWARD SO THAT YOU WOULD BE HERE PRIOR TO MY MARCH 22 DEPARTURE. MY WIFE AND I ALSO HOPE THAT WHEN YOU LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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DO COME, YOU AND MRS. TAYLOR WILL STAY WITH US AT THE

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